

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

REBECCA FRANCESCATI,	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	No. 1:11-cv-05270
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v.	)	
	)	Honorable Marvin E. Aspen
STEFANI JOANNE GERMANOTTA	)	Magistrate Judge Jeffrey T. Gilbert
p/k/a LADY GAGA, INTERSCOPE RECORDS,	)	
UNIVERSAL MUSIC GROUP, INC.,	)	
DJ WHITE SHADOW, LLC, and	)	
BRIAN JOSEPH GAYNOR,	)	JURY TRIAL DEMANDED
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**UNOPPOSED MOTION TO WITHDRAW *INSTANTER* APPEARANCE AND  
REPRESENTATION OF KEVIN S. BLUM**

Pursuant to Local Rule 83.17 of the Northern District of Illinois, Defendant Stefani Joanne Germanotta (“Germanotta”) hereby moves, by and through the undersigned counsel, for an order permitting the withdrawal of Kevin S. Blum as Counsel of Record. In support of this Motion, it is hereby stated:

1. As of March 15, 2013, Kevin S. Blum is no longer affiliated with the law firm Proskauer Rose LLP (“Proskauer”). Mr. Blum desires to withdraw from this action.
2. Germanotta will continue to be represented by Charles B. Ortner, Sandra A. Crawshaw-Sparks, Steven R. Gilford, Catherine J. Spector, and Alexander Kaplan of Proskauer.
3. Because the aforementioned attorneys are continuing their representation of Germanotta, withdrawal of Mr. Blum’s appearance and representation on behalf of Germanotta will not prejudice Germanotta. Upon withdrawal of Mr. Blum, five (5) attorneys will remain on record on behalf of Germanotta in this action.

4. There is no objection to this motion.

**WHEREFORE**, Germanotta respectfully requests that this Court grant Mr. Blum leave to withdraw *instantly* his appearance and representation of Germanotta.

Dated: March 18, 2013

/s/Catherine J. Spector

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that all counsel of record who are deemed to have consented to electronic service are being served with a copy of the foregoing document via the Court's CM/ECF system on this 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2013.

*/s/ Catherine J. Spector*

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